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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**

(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

Attorney Docket No. 004162.P004  
(maximum 12 characters)

First Named Inventor John Xiaoxiong Zhong

Title: "CIRCUIT SIMULATION USING ENCODING OF REPETITIVE SUBCIRCUITS"

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ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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**APPLICATION ELEMENTS**

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

1.  Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original, and a duplicate for fee processing)
2.  Applicant Claims Small Entity Status. (37 CFR 1.27)
3.  Specification (Total Pages 29)  
(preferred arrangement set forth below)
  - Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference sequence listing, a table,  
or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
4.  Drawings(s) (35 USC 113) (Total Sheets 3)
5.  Oath or Declaration (Total Pages 5)
  - a.  Newly Executed (Original or Copy)
  - b.  Copy from a Prior Application (37 CFR 1.63(d))  
(for Continuation/Divisional with Box 17 completed)
    - i.  DELETIONS OF INVENTOR(S) Signed statement attached deleting  
inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2)  
and 1.33(b).
    - c.  Unsigned.
6.  Application Data Sheet. (37 CFR 1.76)
7.  CD-ROM or CD-R in duplicate, large table or Computer Program (Appendix)
8.  Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission  
(if applicable, all necessary)
  - a.  Computer Readable Form (CRF)
  - b.  Specification Sequence Listing on:
    - i.  CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or
    - ii.  paper
  - c.  Statement verifying identity of above copies

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**ACCOMPANYING APPLICATION PARTS**

9.  **Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents(s))**
10. \_\_\_\_\_ a. Separate 37 CFR 3.73(b) Statement (where there is an assignee)
- \_\_\_\_\_ b. Power of Attorney
11. \_\_\_\_\_ English Translation Document (if applicable)
12. \_\_\_\_\_ a. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449
- \_\_\_\_\_ b. Copies of IDS Citations
13. \_\_\_\_\_ **Preliminary Amendment**
14.  **Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)**
15. \_\_\_\_\_ Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) (if foreign priority is claimed)
16.  **Request and Certification under 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i). Applicant must attach form PTO/SB/35 or its equivalent.**
17. \_\_\_\_\_ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

**18A. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:**

Continuation \_\_\_\_\_ Divisional \_\_\_\_\_ Continuation-in-part (CIP)  
 Of Prior Application No.: \_\_\_\_\_ Examiner \_\_\_\_\_ Group Art Unit \_\_\_\_\_

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which is a \_\_\_\_\_ continuation/ \_\_\_\_\_ divisional/ \_\_\_\_\_ CIP of prior application no. \_\_\_\_\_) (List entire chain of priority)

**For CONTINUATION AND DIVISIONAL APPS only:** The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which an oath or declaration is supplied under Box 5b, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference. The incorporation can only be relied upon when a portion has been inadvertently omitted from the submitted application parts.

**18B. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) for continuing application:**

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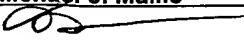
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01/30/01**Complete if Known:**Application No. Not yet assignedFiling Date Not yet assignedFirst Named Inventor John Xiaoxiong ZhongGroup Art Unit Not yet assignedExaminer Name Not yet assignedAttorney Docket No. 004162.P004**METHOD OF PAYMENT** (check one)

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- Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17

- Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

2.  Payment Enclosed:  Check  
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**FEE CALCULATION****1. BASIC FILING FEE**

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Fee	Fee	Fee	Fee
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)
101	710	201	355
106	320	206	160
107	490	207	245
108	710	208	355
114	150	214	75
<b>Utility application filing fee</b>			
<b>Design application filing fee</b>			
<b>Plant filing fee</b>			
<b>Reissue filing fee</b>			
<b>Provisional application filing fee</b>			
<b>SUBTOTAL (1) \$ 710.00</b>			

**2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES**

	<u>Extra Claims</u>	<u>Fee from below</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Total Claims	<u>25</u>	<u>- 20** = 5</u>	<u>X 18.00 = 90.00</u>
Independent Claims	<u>3</u>	<u>- 3** = 0</u>	<u>X 80.00 = 0</u>
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\*\*Or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see below.

**Large Entity Small Entity**

<u>Fee</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Fee</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>
Code	(\$)	Code	(\$)	
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
109	80	209	40	**Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL (2) \$ 90.00

**FEE CALCULATION (continued)****3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

<u>Large Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>	<u>Fee Description</u>	<u>Fee Paid</u>
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code (\$)	
105	130	205	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath
127	50	227	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet
139	130	139	Non-English specification
147	2,520	147	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination
112	920*	112	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action
113	1,840*	113	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
115	110	215	Extension for reply within first month
116	390	216	Extension for reply within second month
117	890	217	Extension for reply within third month
118	1,390	218	Extension for reply within fourth month
128	1,890	228	Extension for reply within fifth month
119	310	219	Notice of Appeal
120	310	220	Filing a brief in support of an appeal
121	270	221	Request for oral hearing
138	1,510	138	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
140	110	240	Petition to revive – unavoidable
141	1,240	241	Petition to revive - unintentional
142	1,240	242	Utility issue fee (or reissue)
143	440	243	Design issue fee
144	600	244	Plant issue fee
122	130	122	Petitions to the Commissioner
123	50	123	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)
126	180	126	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt
581	40	581	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)
146	710	246	For filing a submission after final rejection (see 37 CFR 1.129(a))
149	710	249	For each additional invention to be examined (see 37 CFR 1.129(b))
179	710	279	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)
169	900	169	Request for expedited examination of a design application
195	300	195	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication
196	300	196	Publication fee for republication
194	130	194	Request for voluntary publication or republication
098	130	098	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(i)
091	1,240	091	Acceptance of unintentionally delayed claim for priority

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Client: Innologic Systems, Inc.

Title: "CIRCUIT SIMULATION USING ENCODING OF REPETITIVE SUBCIRCUITS"

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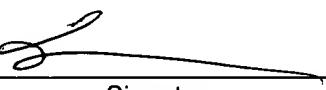
**REQUEST AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 122(b)(2)(B)(i)**

First Named Inventor John Xiaoxiong Zhong  
Title "CIRCUIT SIMULATION USING ENCODING OF REPETITIVE SUBCIRCUITS"

Attorney Docket No. 004162.P004

I hereby certify that the invention disclosed in the attached application **has not and will not be** the subject of an application filed in another country, or under a multilateral agreement, that requires publication at eighteen months after filing. I hereby request that the attached application not be published under 35 U.S.C. 122(b).

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